

Assistant Director for Research and Reports

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THRU : Chief, Economic Research Area, ORR  
Chief, Materials Division, ORR

Report for the Month of January 1958

1. AccomplishmentsA. Scheduled Reports and Contributions

- (1) ORR Project 30.1823, NIS 20, Albania, Section 64K was submitted to D/I.
- (2) ORR Project 20.1521, NIS 14, Poland, Section 61 (agriculture, fisheries, and forestry) was submitted to OBI.
- (3) M/CH and M/FP contributions to ORR Project 47.1787, The Impact of the Eastern Area Construction Program on the USSR Economy in the Sixth Five-Year Plan was submitted to D/S.
- (4) M/FM contribution to ERA Project 20.1881, Consumption of Electric Power in the USSR, was submitted to M/FP.
- (5) ORR Project 20.1515, NIS 18, Czechoslovakia, Section 63, submitted to OBI.

B. Support Projects

- (1) ORR Project 21.2036, Comments on Soviet Agriculture, was prepared for [REDACTED].
- (2) ORR Project 21.2050, Major Developments in Soviet Agriculture in 1957 and Prospects for the Future, was completed.
- (3) Projects 8-248, Collectivization in Rumania During 1957, and 8-246, Resurgence of Lysenko were submitted to CSS.
- (4) CSS 549, USSR Survey of the Iron Ore Base Published and Project 8-244, Production and Uses of Tungsten in the USSR were submitted to CSS.

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C. Other Support Activities

- (1) Evaluated special intelligence material for last quarter of 1957 and submitted report to St/C.
- (2) Evaluated specific special intelligence reports and submitted report to St/C.
- (3) Evaluated JPRS services and submitted memorandum to St/I/D.
- (4) Prepared requirements for FDD commodity trade study.
- (5) Submitted revisions for IPC Targets on USSR to St/I.
- (6) Evaluated approximately 40 reports for DD/I and OS-C.

2. Program

- A. Project 25.1577 addendum, Intra-Bloc Trade in Petroleum -- additional data being prepared for incorporation in final published report to reflect new trade statistics obtained from Czechoslovakian and Bulgarian handbooks.
- B. Project 25.2062, Military Consumption of Petroleum Products, Sino-Soviet Bloc, 1956 and 1957, is an EX Petroleum Subcommittee report involving the review and consolidation of data submitted by the military components.
- C. A request has been made to postpone the due-date for Project 25.1996, Petroleum Resources in Northwest China, from 18 April 1958 to 6 June 1958.

3. Administration

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- A. [REDACTED] EOD'd and will be assigned to M/AG.
- B. Personnel of M/AG discussed agricultural reporting from Moscow with State and USDA, US-USSR exchange of agricultural delegations with USDA, and use of PI-480 funds for external research with USDA.

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25X1A9a C. [REDACTED] rejoined the Agency and was assigned to M/CH.

25X1A9a D. [REDACTED] was assigned to M/FP as a clerk-typist.

E. Personnel of M/FP/NE discussed costing of certain phases of the Soviet nuclear energy program with ABC personnel.

25X1A9a F. [REDACTED], M/CH, visited New York to brief members of [REDACTED]. 25X1A5a1

25X1A9a G. [REDACTED], M/FM, and [REDACTED], M/NF, [REDACTED] 25X1A9a  
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25X1A9a H. [REDACTED], Chief M/FM, visited Europe to provide support to COCOM efforts at Paris and for orientation with Agency and counterpart facilities in [REDACTED].

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25X1A9a I. [REDACTED] toured the American Smelting and Refining Company plant in Baltimore, Maryland.

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